

Practice Exam Solutions

- ① a) Let $Q(t)$ the amount of grams of the chemical after t minutes.

$$\frac{dQ}{dt} = 2 \left(\frac{1}{4} \left(1 + \frac{t}{2} \right) \right) - \frac{2Q}{100}$$

↓ concentration ↙ rate out time
 the concentration

$$= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{t}{4} - \frac{Q}{50}$$

$$Q' + \frac{1}{50} Q = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{t}{4}.$$

b)

$$\mu Q' + \frac{1}{50} \mu Q = \mu \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{t}{4} \right).$$

$$\frac{d(\mu Q)}{dt} = \mu Q' + \mu' Q \quad \text{so we want}$$

$$\mu' Q = \frac{1}{50} \mu Q \quad \text{so} \quad \frac{\mu'}{\mu} = \frac{1}{50} \quad \text{so} \quad \mu = e^{\frac{1}{50} t}.$$

Then

$$e^{\frac{1}{50} t} Q = \int \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{t}{4} \right) e^{\frac{1}{50} t} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int e^{\frac{1}{50} t} dt + \frac{1}{4} \int t e^{\frac{1}{50} t} dt + C \quad \begin{matrix} u = t & dv = e^{\frac{1}{50} t} \\ du = dt & v = 50e^{\frac{1}{50} t} \end{matrix}$$

$$= 25e^{\frac{1}{50} t} + \frac{1}{4} \left(50te^{\frac{1}{50} t} - \int 50e^{\frac{1}{50} t} dt \right) + C$$

$$= 25e^{\frac{1}{50} t} + \frac{25}{2} te^{\frac{1}{50} t} - \frac{50 \cdot 50}{4} e^{\frac{1}{50} t} + C$$

$$\text{so } Q(t) = 25 + \frac{25}{2} t - 625 + \frac{25}{4} t - 600 + C e^{-\frac{1}{50} t}.$$

$$Q(0) = 50 \quad \text{so} \quad C - 600 = 50 \quad \text{so} \quad C = 650$$

$$Q(t) = \frac{25}{2} t - 600 + 650 e^{-\frac{1}{50} t}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad y' + 2y = t e^{-2t}, \quad y(1) = 0.$$

$$\mu y' + 2\mu y = \mu t e^{-2t}$$

$$\text{Then } \mu' = 2\mu \text{ so } \mu = e^{2t}.$$

$$\text{Then } e^{2t} y = \int e^{2t} t e^{-2t} dt = \int t dt = \frac{t^2}{2} + C$$

$$\text{so } y(t) = \frac{t^2}{2} e^{-2t} + C e^{-2t}.$$

$$y(1) = \frac{1}{2} e^{-2} + C e^{-2} = 0 \text{ so } C = -\frac{1}{2}.$$

$$\text{Then } y(t) = \frac{t^2}{2} e^{-2t} - \frac{1}{2} e^{-2t} = \left(\frac{t^2-1}{2}\right) e^{-2t}.$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{x^2}{y}. \quad dy y = x^2 dx$$

$$\frac{y^2}{2} = \frac{x^3}{3} + C.$$

$$\text{so } \underline{y^2 = \frac{2}{3} x^3 + C}$$

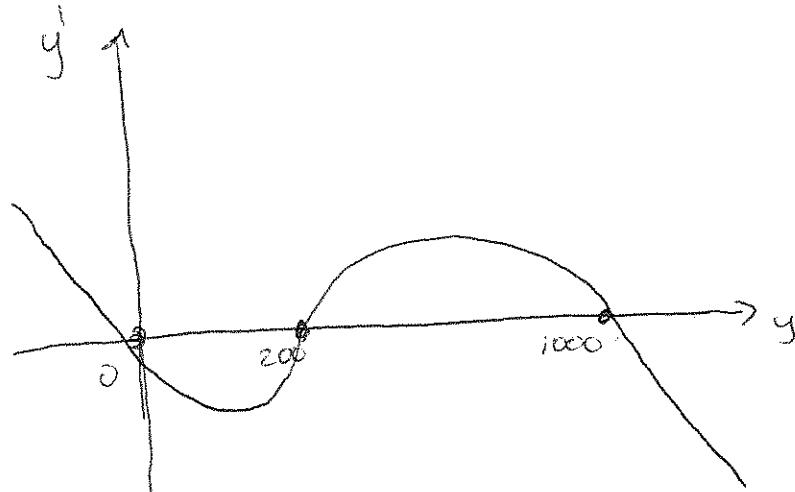
$$y = \pm \sqrt{\frac{2}{3} x^3 + C}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad y' + \frac{2t}{4-t^2} y = \frac{3t^2}{4-t^2}.$$

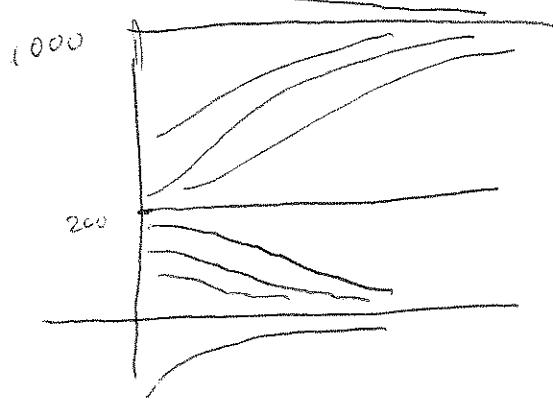
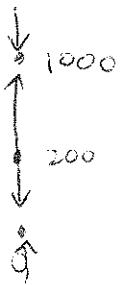
$\frac{2t}{4-t^2}$ and $\frac{3t^2}{4-t^2}$ are continuous as long as $4-t^2 \neq 0$, i.e. $t \neq \pm 2$. Then the possible intervals are $(-\infty, -2)$, $(-2, 2)$, $(2, \infty)$. But $y(1) = -3$ implies t must be in the interval. So it must be $\boxed{(-2, 2)}$

$$(5) \quad y' = -y \left(1 - \frac{y}{a}\right) \left(1 - \frac{y}{1000}\right).$$

a) $a=200$.

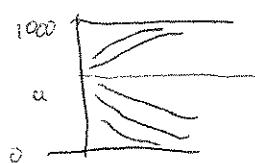


Phase line:



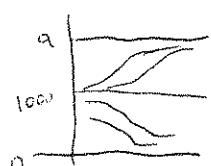
Integral curves.

b) If $a < a < 1000$ then



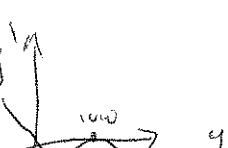
1000 and 0 are stable solutions
and a is unstable

If $a > 1000$ then



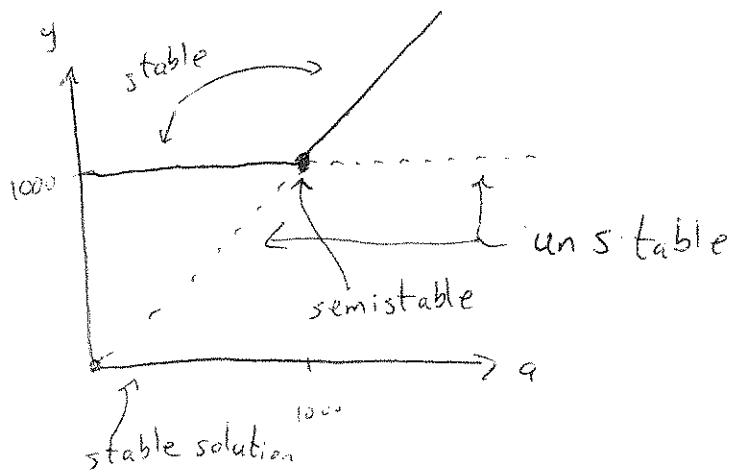
a and 0 are stable while
1000 is unstable.

If $a = 1000$ then



so 0 is stable while 1000
is semistable.

c)



(Plot of the equilibrium solutions as a function of α)

(6) a) $y'' - 6y' + 18y = 0$

$$r^2 - 6r + 18 = 0$$

$$r = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{36 - 4 \cdot 18}}{2} = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{-36}}{2} = \frac{6 \pm 6i}{2} = 3 \pm 3i$$

so
$$\boxed{y = c_1 e^{3t} \cos(3t) + c_2 e^{3t} \sin(3t)}$$

b) $4y'' - 4y' + 3y = 0$

$$4r^2 - 4r + 3 = 0$$

$$r = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 4(4)(3)}}{8} = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{-32}}{8} = \frac{1}{2} \pm i \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

so
$$\boxed{y(t) = c_1 e^{\frac{1}{2}t} \cos\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}t\right) + c_2 e^{\frac{1}{2}t} \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}t\right)}$$

c) $y'' - 6y' + 18y = 3e^{3t}$

$$r^2 - 6r + 18 = 0 \text{ so } y = c_1 e^{3t} \cos(3t) + c_2 e^{3t} \sin(3t)$$

is a solution to the homogeneous equation.

Let $y = Ae^{3t}$. Then $y' = 3Ae^{3t}$ and $y'' = 9Ae^{3t}$, so

$$9Ae^{3t} - 18Ae^{3t} + 18Ae^{3t} = 9Ae^{3t} = 3e^{3t} \text{ so}$$

$A = \frac{1}{3}$

Then $y = \frac{1}{3}e^{3t}$ is a particular solution.

Then $y(t) = c_1 e^{3t} \cos(3t) + c_2 e^{3t} \sin(3t) + \frac{1}{3} e^{3t}$

d) $y'' + y = \tan t$

$y'' + y = 0$ implies $r^2 + 1 = 0$ so $r = \pm i$ so

$$y(t) = c_1 \cos t + c_2 \sin t.$$

Now let $y(t) = u_1(t) \cos t + u_2(t) \sin t$.

Then $y'(t) = u_1'(t) \cos t + u_1(t) \sin t + u_2'(t) \sin t + u_2(t) \cos t$

Assume $u_1'(t) \cos t + u_2'(t) \sin t = 0$.

Then $y'(t) = u_2(t) \cos t - u_1(t) \sin t$.

So $y''(t) = u_2'(t) \cos t - u_2(t) \sin t - u_1'(t) \sin t - u_1(t) \cos t$

So $y'' + y' = u_2'(t) \cos t - u_2(t) \sin t - u_1'(t) \sin t - u_1(t) \cos t + u_2(t) \cos t + u_1(t) \sin t$
 $= -u_1'(t) \sin t + u_2'(t) \cos t = \tan t$.

So $-u_1'(t) \sin t + u_2'(t) \cos t = \tan t$

$$u_1'(t) \cos t + u_2'(t) \sin t = 0$$

So $-u_1'(t) \sin t \cos t + u_2'(t) \cos^2 t = \sin t$

$$u_1'(t) \sin t \cos t + u_2'(t) \sin^2 t = 0$$

So $u_2'(t)(\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t) = \sin t$, so $u_2'(t) = \sin t$.

So $u_2(t) = -\cos t$

Now $u_1'(t) \cos t = -u_2'(t) \sin t = -\sin^2 t = \cos^2 t - 1$

So $u_1'(t) = \cos t = \sec t$.

Then $u_1(t) = \sin t - \int \sec t dt = \sin t - \ln \left(\frac{\sin t + \cos t}{\cos t - \sin t} \right)$

So

$$y(t) = c_1 \cos t + c_2 \sin t + 5 \sin t \cos t - \cos t \ln \left(\frac{\sin \frac{t}{2} + \cos \frac{t}{2}}{\cos \frac{t}{2} - \sin \frac{t}{2}} \right) - \sin t \cos t$$

$$y(t) = c_1 \cos t + c_2 \sin t - \cos t \ln \left(\frac{\sin(\frac{t}{2}) + \cos(\frac{t}{2})}{\cos(\frac{t}{2}) - \sin(\frac{t}{2})} \right).$$

(7) a) $y = t^n$, $y' = n t^{n-1}$, $y'' = n(n-1) t^{n-2}$

$$t^2 y'' + 3t y' - 3y = n(n-1) t^n + 3n t^n - 3t^n \\ = (n^2 - n + 3n - 3) t^n = (n^2 + 2n - 3) t^n = 0$$

$$\text{so } n^2 + 2n - 3 = 0$$

$$\text{so } (n+3)(n-1) = 0, \text{ so } (n = -3) \text{ and } (n = 1)$$

b) $y(t) = c_1 t + c_2 t^{-3}$

$$\text{since } W(t, t^{-3})_{(t)} = t(t^{-3})' - t'(t^{-3}) \\ = -3t t^{-4} - t^{-3} \\ = -4t^{-3} \neq 0 \text{ unless } t=0.$$

(8) $y'' - 2y' + y = 3t e^{2t}$.

$$r^2 - 2r + 1 = 0$$

$$(r-1)^2 = 0, \text{ so } r=1.$$

Then $y(t) = c_1 e^t + c_2 t e^t$ solves the homogeneous equation.

Let $y = Ate^{2t} + Be^{2t}$.

$$y' = Ae^{2t} + 2Ate^{2t} + 2Be^{2t}$$

$$y'' = 2Ae^{2t} + 2Ae^{2t} + 4Ate^{2t} + 4Be^{2t}$$

$$y'' = 4Ae^{2t} + 4Be^{2t} + 4Ate^{2t}$$

Then $y'' - 2y' + y = e^{2t}(4A + 4B - 2(2A + 2B) + B) + te^{2t}(4A - 4A + A)$
 $= Ate^{2t}(2A + B)e^{2t}$.

$$\text{So } A = 3 \quad \text{and } 2A + B = 0 \quad \text{so } B = -6.$$

Then $y(t) = c_1 e^t + c_2 te^t + 3te^{2t} - 6e^{2t}$
 $y'(t) = c_1 e^t + c_2 e^t + c_2 te^t + 3e^{2t} + 6te^{2t} = 12e^{2t}$

Since $y(0) = 2$ then $2 = c_1 - 6$ so $c_1 = 8$

Since $y'(0) = 4$ then $4 = c_1 + c_2 + 3 - 12 = 8 + c_2 + 3 - 12 = c_2 - 1$

$$\text{so } c_2 = 5$$

Then

$$y(t) = 8e^t + 5te^t + 3te^{2t} - 6e^{2t}$$